GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Energy Department – Proposal for setting up of self identified 1800 MW of Veeraballi Off-stream Closed Loop Pumped Storage Project (OCPSP) by M/s. Astha Green Energy Ventures India Private Limited - Allocation of additional non-forest land (Govt. Land) of 186 acres in addition to 490 acres of land for 1800 MW OCPSP project at Vongimalla village, Veeraballi Mandal, Annamayya & in YSR Districts.– Orders – Issued.

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ENERGY (POWER.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 39 **Dated: 26-11-2024**

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No. 16 Energy (Power-II) Department dated 12.09.2022
2. From M/s. Astha Green Energy Ventures India Pvt. Ltd., Lr.Dt.19.02.2024.
3. From the Vice Chairman & Managing Director, New and Renewable Energy Development Corporation of Andhra Pradesh Ltd. (NREDCAP), Letter No.NREDCAP/PSP/ASTHA/2024, dated 04.03.2024.

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O R D E R:-

In the Government Order 1st read above, Government had allotted 1800 MW Veeraballi Off-Stream Closed Loop Pumped Storage Project (OCPSP) at Vongimalla village, Veeraballi Mandal, YSR and Annamayya Districts to M/s. Astha Green Energy Ventures India Private Limited. The extent of land considered for allotment on lease basis/ alienation is 490 acres of non-forest land available if any in the project area for the project either on outright sale basis @ Rs. 5,00,000/ Acre or on lease basis with lease rentals @ Rs. 31,000/ Acre/ year with an escalation of 5% every two years, based on the option of the project developer at Vongimalla village, Veeraballi mandal falling in YSR and Annamayya Districts.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, M/s. Astha Green Energy Ventures India Pvt. Ltd. has submitted a proposal to the Govt. communicating that they have completed technical studies in the field and as per the project design and based on field conditions, the land requirement (Govt. Land) is increased from 490 acres to 676 acres and also in view of the exigency to implement the project, they have requested for advance possession of the lands to start the development of 1800 MW OCPSP project.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the Vice Chairman & Managing Director, New and Renewable Energy Development Corporation of Andhra Pradesh Ltd. (NREDCAP) has furnished the remarks to the Government on the proposal for enhancement of non-forest land from 490 acres to 676 acres.

4. The proposal of M/s. Astha Green Energy Ventures India Pvt. Ltd. has been placed before State Investment Promotion Board (SIPB) meeting held on 19.11.2024

and SIPB has agreed to increase the non-forest land from 490 acres to 676 acres (additional 186 acres).

5. After careful examination, the Government hereby approve the proposal of the M/s. Astha Green Energy Ventures India Private Limited to increase the non-forest land from 490 acres to 676 acres. The other provisions of the Govt. Orders issued in the G.O read above shall hold good.

6. The Revenue Department shall take necessary action accordingly.

7. The Vice Chairman & Managing Director, New and Renewable Energy Development Corporation of Andhra Pradesh Ltd., Tadepalli shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.VIJAYANAND
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
M/s Astha Green Energy Ventures India Pvt. Ltd., Plot No. 226, Road No. 78, Phase-III, Jubilee Hills, Hyderabad - 500033.
The VC& Managing Director, NREDCAP, Tadepalli.
The Chairman & Managing Director, APTRANSCO, Vidyuth Soudha, Vijayawada.
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration& Special Chief Secretary to Government, APIIC Towers, Mangalagiri.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Finance Department
The Special Chief Secretary, Industries & Commerce Department
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, EFS&T Department.
The Special Chief Secretary to Govt., Revenue Department.
The Principal Secretary to Government, Water Resources Department.
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, GoAP, Guntur

Copy to:
The Commissioner of Industries Department, Vijayawada.
The Collector & District Magistrate, YSR District.
The Collector & District Magistrate, Annamayya District.
The Managing Director, APGENCO, Gunadala, Vijayawada.
The Chairman & Managing Director, APSPDCL, Tirupathi.
The Chairman & Managing Director, APCPDCL, Vijayawada.
The Chairman & Managing Director, APEPDCL, Visakhapatnam.
The P.S to Secretary to Chief Minister.
The P.S., to Minister for Energy.
The P.S., to the Special Chief Secretary to Government, Energy Department.
The Commissioner of Industries Department, Vijayawada.
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The Secretary, Ministry of New & Renewable Energy (MNRE), GoI, New Delhi.

The Secretary, Ministry of Power, GoI, New Delhi.
The G.A (Cabinet) Dept.,
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//FORWARDED BY:: ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER